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## **REVISION OF TAXES** ONE OF PROBLEMS BEFORE CONGRESS

Cut in Expenditures Also Needs Attention at Short Session.

SEEK MORE REVENUE

auxury and other similar taxes are cer-tain to be reduced by falling prices and a shrinkage in the volume of sales. Such reductions will cut deeply into the mar-gin of excess of receipts over disburse-ments, which has been estimated at Must Provide for Retirement of Victory Notes

Due in 1923.

RECEIPTS MAY SHRINK

Any Surplus Will Be Used for Sinking Fund—Billion Off Appropriations.

Special Despatch to The New York Herald.

Washington, Dec. 5.—An increased revenue through taxation the burden of which shall be more evenly distributed than at present and a rigorous curtailment of expenditures through processes of reduction and elimination must be the immediate objective of the Congress in the short session which president-elect Harding will call soon after March 4 next.

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Big cut in 1923.

This surplus and more is needed to retire the present floating debt and for sinking fund operations to take care of Liberty bonds and Victory notes. Consequently the end of the current fiscal year will find the Treasury with but a moderate cash balance, a large item of floating debt, to which the taxes of the ensuing year will be pledged in part, and with the necessity of definite provision to meet a year's ordinary expenses, pay the interest on the public debt, retire the outstanding certificates of indebtedness and provide a sinking fund to meet the concoming maturity of Victory notes.

Therefore, during the short session of the Congress which opens to-morrow the Government is confronted with a situation of far reaching economic importance if the operations of the fiscal year 1922 are to leave the Treasury in a better financial position and with definite provision for liquidation of all floating debt and consistent retirement of the funded debt.

Appropriations for the fiscal year. There will be a marked reduction in army and navy expenditures, but other expenditures in-ident to the normal peace time operations of the Government continue to soar.

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However, there appear innumerable period of the short session. chould this prove to be the case it will avolve, in the opinion of many legistors here, the urgent necessity of making such revenue legislation as the waster of the congress must pass after next larch retroactive in its effect, and pplicable as of January 1, 1921.

Speedy Revision Needed.

For the average taxpayer better to Chairman Good last night estimated the total regular appropriations for the next fiscal year at \$3,755,000,000, which, he said, would include approximately allowed the said, would include approximately and purposes. This estimate, however, will be augmented by various deficiency bills which are made necessary by supplementary estimates submitted by the different departments.

Tax collections on the basis of the March retroactive in its effect, and applicable as of January 1, 1921.

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For the average taxpayer better to understand the fiscal problems that confront the nation it should be borne in mind that the Government's fiscal year begins on July 1 and ends on June 30. It is always referred to as the year in which it ends. Now we are in the fiscal year of 1921. But the more important of the Federal taxes, such as income and excess profits, are levied against the allendar year, and the proceeds divided convenent he revenues of two fiscal years.

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As a preliminary to any consideration the estimates of revenues and expentitives for the next fiscal year, as supplied by the Treasury Department and appropriations Committee of the House, survey of the latest available figures the national debt is appropriate. The cost debt as of November 30 last was \$\frac{2}{2}\$.175,156,244. The more important come of this total are:

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### To Retire Floating Debt.

Big Task for the Treasury.

Big Cut in Appropriations.

Co. Seeks to 'Milk' People.

United Mine Workers Spurs Diggers in Alabama and

West Virginia. WILL OPEN TREASURY

MINERS' BIG UNION

IN STRIKE ZONES

Calling of Troops Called Cowardly-Shooting in Cold Blood Charged.

NO COMPROMISE, IS ADVICE

Southern Workers Said to Be in as Deplorable Condition as Armenians Are.

Mine Workers of America plan to on a struggle with the coal operators of Alabama and Mingo county, West Virginia, "to a finish. by the union officials.

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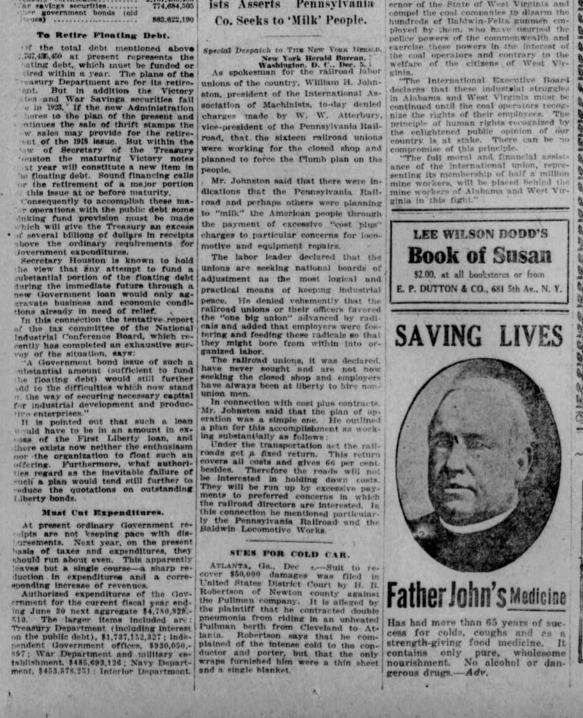
Declaration by the Union. The text of the deciaration follows:

"The International Executive Board is The International Executive Board is impressed with the spirit of self-sacrifice displayed by the mine workers of Alabama in their wonderful fight for the right to establish the principle of collective bargaining and compel recognition by the coal operators of the award of the United States Biruminous Coal Commission. The 47 200 men, women and

the United States Bituminous Coal Commission. The 42,000 men, women and children who are engaged in this struggele are suffering from the most intense persecution, heaped upon them by the arrogant coal operators of that State.

"Every concelvable method has been used against them. Eviction from their homes, foreclosure upon their household and personal effects, false arrests and imprisonment, prohibition of the right of assemblage, dental of their statutory and constitutional rights, unwarranted use of State troops in the coal fields, denunciation by an unfavorable press and a most malicious public campaign of misseners and the state of the state

ernor of the State of West Virginia and compel the coal companies to disarm the hundreds of Baldwin-Felts gunmen em-ployed by them, who have usurped the police powers of the commonwealth and exercise these powers in the interest of the coal operators and contrary to the welfare of the citizens of West Vir-sints.



COAL PLOT TRIAL MAY

by United States Attorney Week Has Passed Without a formight by United States Attorney
Fred Van Nups that investigations
to be undertaken by the Federal
Grand Jury, which convenes to-morrow,
would require more than two months indicated another postponement of the
trial of the coal conspiracy cases against
twenty-five operators and miners in Indiana, Illinois, Ohio and western Pennsylvania.

Indianapolis, Dec. 5.-The United Federal Trade Board Shows

Cut in Production.

Washington, Dec. 5.—Of an increase of 52 cents a ton in the cost of producing coal at the mines since 1918 the probable increase due to wage advances has averaged 45 cents, according to a report issued to-night by the Federal Trade Commission on the cost of producing bituminous coal during the second quarter of this year. The report puts the increase to labor for the period at 30 per cent, and the total increase for production at the mines at 25 per cent.

The shots were fired at the detachment Friday night, Col. Hall said, and they were returned, resulting in no casualties so far as could be learned.

Possible use of Federal troops along a narrow strip of Pike county, Kentucky, on the West Virginia border, was forecast as the result of a conference yesterday between Col. Hall and Adjt-Gen. Jackson Morris of Kentucky.

Continuing the policy of "cleaning up" Williamson, raids were counducted by the police last night, netting them about a score of alleged gamblers, an alleged booteteger and other undesirables who had falled to take warning to leave the city.

FOSTER OPENS DRIVE

FOR HIS UNION PLAN

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GRAIN IS CHARGED

Representative Steenerson

WASHINGTON, Dec. 5.—A resolution recting the Federal Trade Commission investigate the activity, of foreign overnments in the grain markets of the nited States with a view to ascertain bether the anti-trust laws are being loaded by the second of the control of t

BE POSTPONED AGAIN U. S. TROOPS RESTORE

Reopening of Inquiry Planned ORDER IN MOUNTAIN by U. S. Officials.

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SHOTS FROM KENTUCKY

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Reopening of the coal investigation is planned by Federal officials, Mr. Van Nuys having recently informed the Department of Justice that additional evidence had been found which might result in the increase of the number of defendants and include others than operators and miners. In granting the first postponement Federal Judge Anderson indicated he might charge the Grand Jury specifically to consider further the coal conspiracy cases.

Five hundred persons, scattered throughout the State, are under subpens to appear before the Grand Jury, its calendar being filled to next January 21. None of these witnesses is said to have been called for the coal inquiry. Before undertaking that investigation officials say much work will be centred loward uncovering an alleged "whiskey ring," reaching to many points in the State and possibly into other States.

45 OF 52 CENTS COAL BOOST GOES TO LABOR

Federal Trade Board Shows Cut in Production.

SHOTS FROM KENTUCKY

Be Extended Across

State Line.

WILLIAMSON, W. Va., Dec. 5.—The first week of military occupation in the Mingo county coal strike district has passed without a single casualty in the Strike itself, Col. Herman Hall, commanding the provisional battalion here, said to-day.

There had been a few sporadic outbreaks of firing from the hills into the Tug River bottoms during the first day or two of the troops' arrival, but this had ceased until Friday night, when a detachment of soldiers was fired upon from the Kentucky mountains at Rose Siding, about fifteen miles from Williamson, Col. Hall said he learned to-day.

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Parrance, Dec. 5.—Laying the ground work here in a nationwide movement to "speed up" the coming of industrial unionism, by the amalgamation of like trades as a successor to the present craft forms of organized labor in the United States, William Z. Foster, former secretary treasurer of the National Committee for Organization of Iron and Steel Workers, made his first appearance in Pittsburg to-day since the close of the steel strike, and addressed two meetings.

Mr. Steenerson charged to-day in a statement that "it appears that the grain markets of the United States are no longer open and free to the natural operation of the laws of supply and demand, but are monopolized, controlled and manipulated at will by the influence of foreign governments."

branch of that union.

Foster is appearing in about fifteen ethics urging industrial unionism, under the auspices of the Amalgamated Clothing Workers, an organization denied admission to the American Federation or Labor and accessed of being a "dust" organization to the United Garment Workers of America, which is affiliated with the Federation.

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